



Texas Fort Wolters

Facility and Location

Fort Wolters is located four miles northeast of Mineral Well and originally named Camp Wolters. It was an Army camp from 1925 to 1946 during World War II and, for a time, the largest infantry replacement training center in the U.S. After the war, the camp was deactivated for a several years. It became an Air Force base in 1951 with the mission of training Air Force engineers. In 1956, it reverted to the Army to house the Primary Helicopter School, designated a permanent military base, and renamed Fort Wolters in 1963. The base was deactivated in 1973, and the site is now used as a Texas Army National Guard training center.

Media Sampled and Findings

Drinking Water — In 2011, two of two samples detected perchlorate at 0.03 and 0.04 ppb.

Groundwater — In 2010, two of three samples detected perchlorate at 0.23 and 0.24 ppb.

Appropriate Actions

Not Applicable. All samples were below the EPA and DoD Preliminary Remediation Goal of 15 ppb.